

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Friday, January 8, 2021
9:00 AM PST

- **Day 1 (Friday):** A storm system moving across northern California today will bring gusty winds, rain, and accumulating mountain snowfall.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

01/08/21 - 01/14/21

Friday

- A weather system moving through northern California will continue to bring mountain snow and valley rain to northeast California through Friday afternoon. Expected impacts include:
 - Rain and higher elevation snow, with precipitation amounts of one-quarter to 1 inch on average, but locally up to 2 inches
 - Snow levels variable between 4,500 and 5,500 feet
 - Windy conditions expected across the northern mountains through the afternoon, with gusts to 55 mph possible
- Locally elevated fire weather conditions in the vicinity of the Transverse Ranges of southern California, with low humidity and gusty winds of 30-40 mph

Saturday-Sunday

- Elevated fire weather conditions expected to continue in the vicinity of the Transverse Ranges where winds will gust to 40 mph at times and low humidity will continue

Monday-Thursday

- Some light precipitation is possible over far northern California but quiet conditions and a warming trend will be found for most of the state



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

01/08/21 - 01/14/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Inland Mtns						
Snow	Inland Mtns						
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Northern Coastal						
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern	Southern	Southern				
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow	Coastal/ Inland						
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



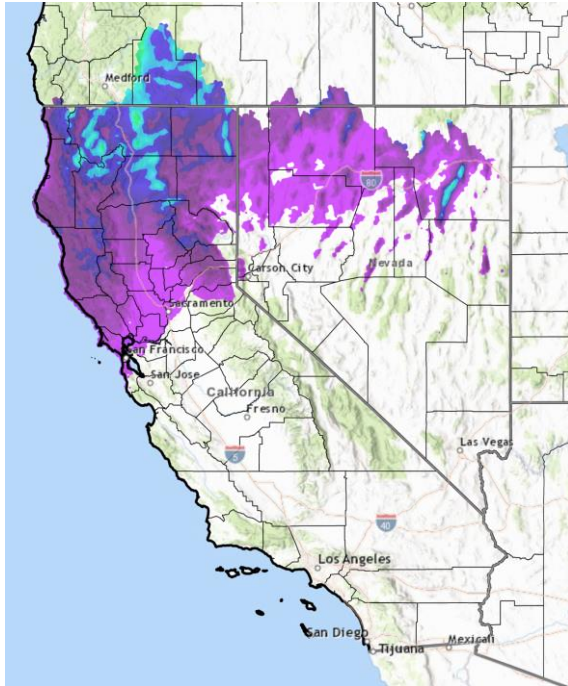
Moderate Impacts



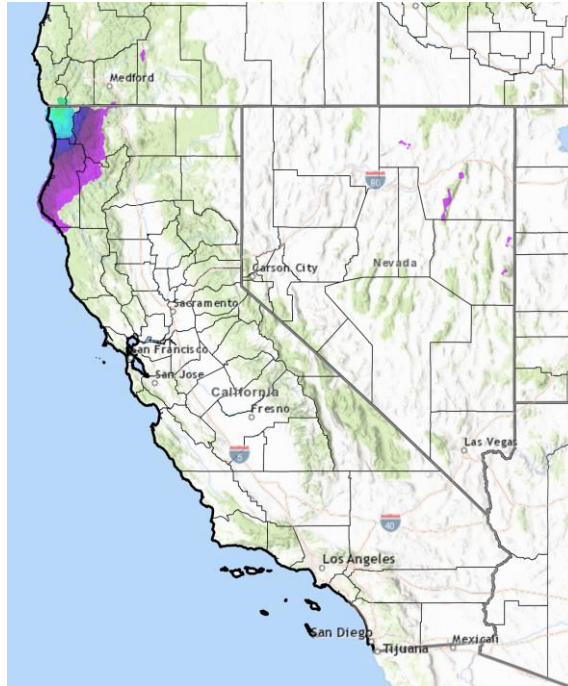
Severe Impacts

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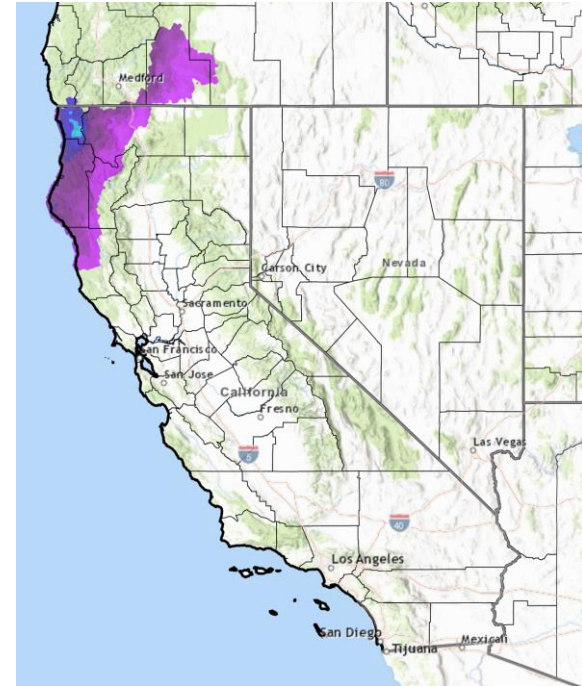
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Friday



Saturday



Sunday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

01/13/21 - 01/21/21

6-10 Day Outlook (January 13 – January 17)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is strongly favored across most of the state, except near normal precipitation is favored for southeast California

8-14 Day Outlook (January 15 – January 21)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is strongly favored statewide



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